

### AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 9, line 1 with the following:

For example, U.S. Patent No. ~~3,293,482~~ 4,293,482 describes the deacylation and preparation of the cyclic peptide of formula I where  $R_4$ ,  $R_5$ , and  $R_{11}$  are methyl,  $R_9$  is hydrogen, and  $R_1$ ,  $R_2$ ,  $R_3$ ,  $R_6$ ,  $R_7$ ,  $R_8$  and  $R_{10}$  are each hydroxy. U.S. Patent No. 4,299,763 describes the deacylation and preparation of the cyclic peptide of formula I where  $R_4$ ,  $R_5$ , and  $R_{11}$  are methyl,  $R_2$  is hydroxy,  $R_7$  and  $R_9$  are hydrogen and  $R_1$ ,  $R_3$ ,  $R_6$ ,  $R_8$  and  $R_{10}$  are each hydroxy. U.S. Patent No. 3,978,210 describes the preparation of aculeacin. U.S. Patent No. 4,304,716 describes the deacylation and preparation of the cyclic peptide of formula I where  $R_5$  is  $-\text{CH}_2\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NH}_2$ ;  $R_{11}$  is methyl;  $R_4$  and  $R_9$  are hydrogen;  $R_1$ ,  $R_2$ ,  $R_3$ ,  $R_6$ ,  $R_7$ ,  $R_8$  and  $R_{10}$  are each hydroxy and the acyl group with substituent R is myristoyl.

Please replace the structure at the bottom of page 14 with the following:

